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## <u>PETITION AND FEE FOR THREE (3) MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME</u> (37 CFR 1.136(a))

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated January 24, 2008 for three (3) months from April 24, 2008 to July 24, 2008. The extended time for response does not exceed the statutory period.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 07-0630 in the amount of \$1,050 to cover the cost of the extension. Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to this deposit account.

Respectfully submitted,

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